

CITY OF MONTEZUMA, IOWA
INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT
BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

June 30, 2010

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**City of Montezuma, Iowa
City Officials
Year Ended June 30, 2010**

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
(Before January, 2010)		
James M. Hicks	Mayor	January, 2011
Frank R. Brownell, III	Mayor Pro Tem	January, 2011
Ronald Willrich	Council Member	January, 2011
Ronald Hedrick	Council Member	January, 2011
Mark Bolen	Council Member	January, 2010
Donald Vos	Council Member	January, 2010
Meryll Hicks	Clerk/Treasurer	Indefinite
William J. Sueppel	Attorney	Indefinite
(After January, 2010)		
James M. Hicks	Mayor	January, 2011
Frank R. Brownell, III	Mayor Pro Tem	January, 2011
Ronald Willrich	Council Member	January, 2011
Ronald Hedrick	Council Member	January, 2011
Mark Bolen	Council Member	January, 2014
Donald Vos	Council Member	January, 2014
Meryll Hicks	Clerk/Treasurer	Indefinite
William J. Sueppel	Attorney	Indefinite



Independent Auditor's Report

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
City of Montezuma
Montezuma, Iowa

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund and aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Montezuma, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the City of Montezuma's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

As described in Note 1, these financial statements were prepared on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective cash basis financial position of the governmental activities, the business type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Montezuma as of June 30, 2010, and the respective changes in cash basis financial position for the year then ended in conformity with the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

In accordance with *Governmental Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated August 18, 2010, on our consideration of the City of Montezuma's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Management's Discussion and Analysis and Budgetary Comparison Information on pages 5-9 and 25-26 are not required parts of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. We did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Montezuma's basic financial statements. Another CPA firm previously audited, in accordance with the standards referred to in the second paragraph of this report, the financial statements for the three years ending June 30, 2004 and we audited the financial statements for the five years ended June 30, 2009 (which are not presented herein) and expressed unqualified opinions on those financial statements which were prepared in conformity with an other comprehensive basis of accounting. Other supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 5 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Van Maanen, Sietstra & Meyer, PC

Van Maanen, Sietstra & Meyer, PC
Certified Public Accountants

August 18, 2010

Management's Discussion and Analysis

The City of Montezuma provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the District's financial statements, which follow.

2010 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Receipts of the City's governmental activities increased 1.5%, or approximately \$18,000, from fiscal 2009 to 2010.
- Disbursements of the City's governmental activities decreased 30.5%, or approximately \$435,000 from fiscal 2009 to fiscal 2010. Capital project expenditures were down approximately \$244,000, and public safety was down approximately \$100,000 due to a fire truck purchased in the prior fiscal year.
- The City's total cash basis net assets increased 11.2%, or approximately \$404,000 from June 30, 2009 to June 30, 2010. The current year governmental activities increased \$364,000 and the assets of the business type activities increased \$40,000.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information, as follows:

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the City's financial activities.

The Government-wide Financial Statement consists of a Statement of Activities and Net Assets. This statement provides information about the activities of the City as a whole and presents an overall view of the City's finances.

The Fund Financial Statements tell how governmental services were financed in the short term as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report the City's operations in more detail than the government-wide statement by providing information about the most significant funds.

Notes to Financial Statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

Required Supplementary Information further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the City's budget for the year.

Other Supplementary Information provides detailed information about the non-major governmental funds, indebtedness, changes in fiduciary assets and liabilities, and a comparative schedule of receipts and disbursements.

Basis of Accounting

The City maintains its financial records on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial statements of the City are prepared on that basis. The cash basis of accounting does not give effect to accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued items. Accordingly, the financial statements do not present financial position and results of operations of the funds in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Therefore, when reviewing the financial information and discussion within this annual report, readers should keep in mind the limitations resulting from the use of the cash basis of accounting.

REPORTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

Government-wide Financial Statement

One of the most important questions asked about the City's finances is, "Is the City as a whole better off or worse off as a result of the year's activities?" The Statement of Activities and Net Assets reports information which helps answer this question.

The Statement of Activities and Net Assets presents the City's net assets. Over time, increases or decreases in the City's net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the City is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities and Net Assets is divided into two kinds of activities:

- Governmental activities include public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, general governmental, debt service and capital projects. Property tax and state and federal grants finance most of these activities.
- Business type activities include the water works, sanitary sewer, recycling, and gas systems. These activities are financed primarily by user charges.

Fund Financial Statements

The City has two kinds of funds:

- 1) Governmental funds account for most of the City's basic services. These focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances at year-end that are available for spending. The governmental funds include: 1) the General Fund, 2) the Special Revenue Funds, such as Road Use Tax and Urban Renewal Tax Increment, 3) the Debt Service Fund, 4) the Capital Projects Fund and 5) the Permanent Fund. The governmental fund financial statements provide a detailed, short-term view of the City's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the City's programs.

The required financial statement for governmental funds is a statement of cash receipts, disbursements and changes in cash balances.

- 2) Proprietary funds account for the City's Enterprise Funds. Enterprise Funds are used to report business type activities. The City maintains Enterprise Funds to provide information for the water, sewer, recycling, and gas funds, considered to be major funds of the City.

The required financial statement for proprietary funds is a statement of cash receipts, disbursements and changes in cash balances.

Reconciliations between the government-wide statement and the fund financial statements follow the fund financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of financial position. The City's cash balance for governmental activities increased. The analysis that follows focuses on the changes in cash basis net assets of governmental activities.

Changes in Cash Basis Net Assets of Governmental Activities (Expressed in thousands)		
	Year ended June 30,	
	2010	2009
Receipts and transfers:		
Program receipts:		
Charges for service	\$ 94	105
Operating grants, contributions and restricted interest	156	149
Capital grants, contributions and restricted interest	39	144
General receipts:		
Property tax	557	539
Tax increment financing	48	48
Other city taxes	130	128
Grants and contributions not restricted to specific purposes	57	17
Payment in lieu of taxes	58	60
Unrestricted interest earnings	7	19
Bond proceeds	-	-
Miscellaneous	30	61
Sale of Assets	113	1
Transfer in	65	35
Total receipts and transfers	1,354	1,306
Disbursements:		
Public safety	183	286
Public works	224	271
Health and social services	-	-
Culture and recreation	186	118
Community and economic development	-	-
General government	114	106
Debt service	283	286
Capital projects	-	358
Total disbursements	990	1,425
Increase in cash basis net assets	364	(119)
Cash basis net assets beginning of year	2,070	2,189
Cash basis net assets end of year	\$ 2,434	2,070

The City's total receipts and transfers for governmental activities increased by 3.7%, or \$48,000. The total cost of all programs and services decreased by approximately \$435,000, or 30.5%. The decrease in programs and services was primarily due to fewer capital project expenditures.

The cost of all governmental activities this year was \$990,000 compared to \$1,425,000 last year. However, as shown in the Statement of Activities and Net Assets on page 11, the amount taxpayers ultimately financed for these activities was only \$702,000 because some of the cost was paid by those directly benefiting from the programs (\$94,000) or by other governments and organizations that subsidized certain programs with grants, contributions and restricted interest (\$194,000). Overall, the City's governmental activities program receipts decreased in 2010 from approximately \$110,000 to approximately \$288,000 principally due to \$105,000 less capital grant

contributions. The City paid for the remaining “public benefit” portion of governmental activities (\$1,001,000) with taxes (some of which could only be used for certain programs) and other receipts, such as bond proceeds, interest, and general entitlements.

Changes in Cash Basis Net Assets of Business Type Activities (Expressed in thousands)		
	Year ended June 30,	
	2010	2009
Receipts:		
Program receipts:		
Charges for service:		
Water	\$ 642	484
Sewer	121	90
Recycling	66	61
Gas	949	900
General receipts:		
Unrestricted interest earnings	4	16
Other general receipts	25	65
Loan proceeds	37	-
Total receipts	<u>1,844</u>	<u>1,616</u>
Disbursements:		
Water	494	582
Sewer	41	44
Recycling	64	58
Gas	1,141	1,123
Total disbursements	<u>1,740</u>	<u>1,807</u>
Change in cash basis net assets before transfers	104	(191)
Transfers, net	<u>(65)</u>	<u>(35)</u>
Change in cash basis net assets	39	(226)
Cash basis net assets beginning of year	<u>1,548</u>	<u>1,774</u>
Cash basis net assets end of year	<u>\$ 1,587</u>	<u>1,548</u>

Total business type activities receipts for the fiscal year were \$1.844 million compared to \$1.616 million last year. Total disbursements and transfers for the fiscal year decreased 2.0% to a total of \$1.805 million.

INDIVIDUAL MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUND ANALYSIS

As the City of Montezuma completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$2,433,893, an increase of \$363,894 from last year's total of \$2,069,999. The major reason for the change in fund balance from the prior year is that public works expenditures were down \$288,055.

INDIVIDUAL MAJOR BUSINESS TYPE FUND ANALYSIS

- The Water Fund cash balance increased by \$204,815 to \$608,927, due primarily to an increase in revenues.
- The Sewer Fund cash balance increased by \$16,085 to \$399,256, due primarily to an increase in revenues.
- The Recycling Fund cash balance increased by \$2,661 to \$58,606, due primarily to larger operating receipts than disbursements.

- The Gas Fund cash balance decreased by \$183,862 to \$520,455 due to steady revenues and increasing expenditures.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The City's budget was amended during the year for additional miscellaneous receipts and culture and recreation and business type activities disbursements.

The City's receipts were \$1,279,000 less than budgeted, primarily in charges for services.

The City's disbursements were \$1,913,082 less than budgeted, primarily in business type activities. Two areas of the budget were exceeded by expenditures. The capital projects and the debt service functions exceeded the budget for fiscal year 2010.

DEBT ADMINISTRATION

At June 30, 2010, the City had approximately \$1,313,000 in bonds and other long-term debt, compared to approximately \$1,494,000 last year, as shown below.

Outstanding Debt at Year-End (Expressed in Thousands)		
	June 30,	
	2010	2009
General obligation bonds	\$ 1,235	1,415
Urban renewal tax increment financing revenue bonds	41	79
Water Revenue-SRF Loan	37	-
Total	\$ 1,313	1,494

The Constitution of the State of Iowa limits the amount of general obligation debt cities can issue to 5% of the assessed value of all taxable property within the City's corporate limits. The City's outstanding general obligation and TIF debt of \$1,276,000 is below its total calculated constitutional debt limit of \$3.6 million.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET AND RATES

The City of Montezuma's elected and appointed officials considered many factors when calculating the fiscal year 2011 budget such as tax rates and fees charged for various City activities. The amounts levied for property taxes are nearly unchanged with only a \$251 increase. The primary reason for this is that health insurance costs will be 12% lower and other costs are not expected to rise significantly or exceed the savings which will be realized by the decrease in health insurance costs. It is expected that the budget will need to be amended at some point, due to a Water Plant Improvement project currently being planned. If final plans are accepted by the Iowa DNR, the project could be ready for bids in late fall for construction to begin in the spring. The acceptance by DNR is always a challenge and could take one month or much longer.

COMPONENT UNIT

The separately issued financial statements for the Montezuma Municipal Light and Power Plant, listed as a component unit on these financial statements, is also available by contacting Meryll Hicks, City Clerk, at the address listed below.

CONTACTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers and creditors with a general overview of the City's finances and to show the City's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Meryll Hicks, City Clerk, 501 East Main St., Box 314, Montezuma, Iowa.

Basic Financial Statements

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Statement of Activities and Net Assets - Cash Basis
As of and for the year ended June 30, 2010

Net (Disbursements) Receipts and Changes in Cash Basis Net							
Assets							
Program Receipts					Primary Government		Component Unit
Capital Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest							
Disbursements	Charges for Service	Operating Grants, Contributions and Restricted Interest	Interest	Governmental Activities	Business Type Activities	Total	
Functions/Programs:							
Primary government:							
Governmental activities:							
Public safety	\$ 183,285	87,771	17,023	37,375	(41,116)	-	(41,116)
Public works	224,066	-	135,154	-	(88,912)	-	(88,912)
Culture and recreation	186,233	584	3,470	1,000	(181,179)	-	(181,179)
General government	114,141	5,420	-	529	(108,192)	-	(108,192)
Debt service	282,731	-	-	-	(282,731)	-	-
Total governmental activities	990,456	93,775	155,647	38,904	(702,130)	-	(702,130)
Business type activities:							
Water	494,048	641,714	-	-	-	147,666	147,666
Sewer	40,851	120,991	-	-	-	80,140	80,140
Recycling	63,871	66,459	-	-	-	2,588	2,588
Gas	1,140,897	949,040	-	-	-	(191,857)	(191,857)
Total business type activities	1,739,667	1,778,204	-	-	-	38,537	38,537
Total primary government	\$ 2,730,123	1,871,979	155,647	38,904	(702,130)	38,537	(663,593)
Component Unit:							
Municipal Light and Power Plant	\$ 2,958,554	3,171,113	-	-	-	-	212,559
Total component unit	\$ 2,958,554	3,171,113	-	-	-	-	212,559
General Receipts:							
Property tax levied for:							
General purposes				\$ 403,795	-	403,795	-
Tax increment financing				47,711	-	47,711	-
Debt service				152,719	-	152,719	-
Local option sales and service tax				130,600	-	130,600	-
Grants and contributions not restricted to specific purposes							
				57,678	-	57,678	-
Payment in lieu of taxes				58,598	-	58,598	-
Unrestricted interest on investments				7,055	3,637	10,692	3,593
Loan proceeds				-	36,936	36,936	1,000,000
Miscellaneous				30,433	25,174	55,607	10,473
Sale of Assets				112,850	-	112,850	-
Transfers				64,585	(64,585)	-	-
Total general receipts and transfers				1,066,024	1,162	1,067,186	1,014,066
Change in cash basis net assets				363,894	39,699	403,593	1,226,625
Cash basis net assets beginning of year				2,069,999	1,547,545	3,617,544	1,657,298
Cash basis net assets end of year				2,433,893	1,587,244	4,021,137	2,883,923
Cash Basis Net Assets							
Restricted:							
Non-expendable:							
Library Permanent Fund	\$ 3,500			-		3,500	-
Expendable:							
Streets				150,640	-	150,640	-
Urban renewal purposes				39,324	-	39,324	-
Debt service/improvements				29,489	-	29,489	737,594
Capital projects				273,310	-	273,310	-
Other purposes				291,992	-	291,992	131,000
Unrestricted				1,645,638	1,587,244	3,232,882	2,015,329
Total cash basis net assets	\$ 2,433,893	1,587,244		4,021,137		2,883,923	

See notes to financial statements.

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balances
Governmental Funds
As of and for the year ended June 30, 2010

	General	Capital Projects	Debt Service	Local Option Sales & Use Tax	Non-major	Total
Receipts:						
Property tax	\$ 403,795	-	152,719	-	-	556,514
Tax increment financing collections	-	-	-	-	47,711	47,711
Local options sales & use tax	-	-	-	130,600	-	130,600
Licenses and permits	2,485	-	-	-	-	2,485
Use of money and property	9,704	529	-	286	-	10,519
Intergovernmental	59,358	-	-	-	135,154	194,512
Charges for service	88,211	-	-	-	-	88,211
Private contributions	57,189	-	-	-	-	57,189
Miscellaneous	89,174	-	-	-	-	89,174
Total receipts	709,916	529	152,719	130,886	182,865	1,176,915
Disbursements:						
Operating:						
Public safety	183,285	-	-	-	-	183,285
Public works	128,157	-	-	-	95,909	224,066
Culture and recreation	186,233	-	-	-	-	186,233
General government	114,141	-	-	-	-	114,141
Debt service	-	-	238,016	-	44,715	282,731
Total disbursements	611,816	-	238,016	-	140,624	990,456
Excess (deficiency) of receipts over (under) disbursements	98,100	529	(85,297)	130,886	42,241	186,459
Other financing sources:						
Sale of assets	112,850	-	-	-	-	112,850
Operating transfers in	-	-	64,585	-	-	64,585
Total other financing sources	112,850	-	64,585	-	-	177,435
Net change in cash balances	210,950	529	(20,712)	130,886	42,241	363,894
Cash balances beginning of year	1,434,688	272,781	50,201	161,106	151,223	2,069,999
Cash balances end of year	\$ 1,645,638	273,310	29,489	291,992	193,464	2,433,893
Cash Basis Fund Balances						
Reserved:						
Debt service/improvement	\$ -	-	29,489	-	-	29,489
Klindt memorial	1,644	-	-	-	-	1,644
Unreserved:						
General Fund	1,643,994	-	-	-	-	1,643,994
Special revenue funds	-	-	-	291,992	189,964	481,956
Capital projects fund	-	273,310	-	-	-	273,310
Permanent endowment, library	-	-	-	-	3,500	3,500
Total cash basis fund balances	\$ 1,645,638	273,310	29,489	291,992	193,464	2,433,893

See notes to financial statements.

Exhibit C

City of Montezuma, Iowa

Reconciliation of the Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balances

To the Statement of Activities and Net Assets

Governmental Funds

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2010

Total governmental funds cash balances (Exhibit A)	\$ 2,433,893
Cash basis net assets of governmental activities (Exhibit B)	\$ 2,433,893
Net change in cash balances (Exhibit B)	\$ 363,894
Change in cash balance of governmental activities (Exhibit A)	\$ 363,894

See notes to financial statements.

Exhibit D

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balances
Proprietary Funds
As of and for the year ended June 30, 2010

	Enterprise Funds				Total
	Water	Sewer	Recycling	Gas	
Operating receipts:					
Charges for service	\$ 641,714	120,991	66,459	949,040	1,778,204
Miscellaneous	19,186	-	-	5,988	25,174
Total operating receipts	660,900	120,991	66,459	955,028	1,803,378
Operating disbursements:					
Business type activities	453,749	40,851	63,871	1,140,897	1,699,368
Total operating disbursements	453,749	40,851	63,871	1,140,897	1,699,368
Excess (deficiency) of operating receipts over (under) operating disbursements	207,151	80,140	2,588	(185,869)	104,010
Non-operating receipts (disbursements):					
Interest on investments	1,027	530	73	2,007	3,637
SRF Loan Proceeds	36,936	-	-	-	36,936
Capital projects	(40,299)	-	-	-	(40,299)
Total non-operating receipts (disbursements)	(2,336)	530	73	2,007	274
Excess (deficiency) of receipts over (under) disbursements	204,815	80,670	2,661	(183,862)	104,284
Operating transfers out	-	(64,585)	-	-	(64,585)
Net change in cash balances	204,815	16,085	2,661	(183,862)	39,699
Cash balances beginning of year	404,112	383,171	55,945	704,317	1,547,545
Cash balances end of year	\$ 608,927	399,256	58,606	520,455	1,587,244
Cash Basis Fund Balances					
Unreserved	\$ 608,927	399,256	58,606	520,455	1,587,244
Total cash basis fund balances	\$ 608,927	399,256	58,606	520,455	1,587,244

See notes to financial statements.

Exhibit E

City of Montezuma, Iowa

Reconciliation of the Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balances

To the Statement of Activities and Net Assets

Proprietary Funds

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2010

Total enterprise funds cash balances (Exhibit D)	\$ 1,587,244
Cash basis net assets of business type activities (Exhibit A)	\$ 1,587,244
Net change in cash balances (Exhibit D)	\$ 39,699
Change in cash balance of business type activities (Exhibit A)	\$ 39,699

See notes to financial statements.

Exhibit F

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balances
Component Unit
As of and for the year ended June 30, 2010

	Municipal Light and Power Plant
Operating receipts:	
Charges for service	\$ 3,171,113
Total operating receipts	<u>3,171,113</u>
Operating disbursements:	
Business type activities	2,478,012
Total operating disbursements	<u>2,478,012</u>
Excess of operating receipts over operating disbursements	693,101
Non-operating receipts (disbursements):	
Rental income	10,473
Loan proceeds	1,000,000
Interest on investments	3,593
Miscellaneous	(6,524)
Debt service	(436,320)
Capital projects	(37,698)
Total non-operating disbursements	<u>533,524</u>
Excess of receipts over disbursements	<u>1,226,625</u>
Net change in cash balances	1,226,625
Cash balances beginning of year	<u>1,657,298</u>
Cash balances end of year	<u><u>\$ 2,883,923</u></u>
Cash Basis Fund Balances	
Reserved for debt service/improvements	\$ 737,594
CMMPA required deposit	131,000
Unreserved	<u>2,015,329</u>
Total cash basis fund balances	<u><u>\$ 2,883,923</u></u>

See notes to financial statements.

Exhibit G

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets
Fiduciary Funds
June 30, 2010

	<u>Agency</u>
Assets	
Cash and investments	<u>\$ 5,655</u>
Total assets	<u>5,655</u>
Liabilities	
Accounts payable	<u>5,655</u>
Total liabilities	<u>5,655</u>
Net assets	<u>\$ -</u>

See notes to financial statements.

(1) **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

The City of Montezuma is a political subdivision of the State of Iowa located in Poweshiek County. It was first incorporated in 1868 and operates under the Home Rule provisions of the Constitution of Iowa. The City operates under the Mayor-Council form of government with the Mayor and Council Members elected on a non-partisan basis. The City provides numerous services to citizens, including public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, and general government services. The City also provides water, sewer, recycling and gas utilities for its citizens.

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, the City of Montezuma has included all funds, organizations, agencies, boards, commissions and authorities. The City has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the City are such that exclusion would cause the City's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and (1) the ability of the City to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on the City.

These financial statements present the City of Montezuma (the primary government) and its component unit. The component unit discussed below is included in the City's reporting entity because of the significance of its operational or financial relationship with the City. Certain disclosures about the discretely presented component unit are not included because the component unit has been audited separately and a report has been issued under separate cover. The audited financial statements are available at the City Clerk's office.

Discretely Presented Component Unit

The Montezuma Municipal Light and Power Plant is presented in a separate column to emphasize that it is legally separate from the City, but is financially accountable to the City, or whose relationship with the City is such that exclusion would cause the City's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Utility is governed by a three member board appointed by the City Council and the Utility's operating budget is subject to the approval of the City Council.

Jointly Governed Organizations

The City participates in several jointly governed organizations that provide goods or services to the citizenry of the City but do not meet the criteria of a joint venture since there is no ongoing financial interest or responsibility by the participating governments. City officials are members of the following boards and commissions: Poweshiek County Assessor's Conference Board and Poweshiek County Joint E911 Service Board.

B. Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Financial Statements - The Statement of Activities and Net Assets reports information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the City. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from this statement. Governmental activities, which are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for service.

The Statement of Activities and Net Assets presents the City's non-fiduciary net assets. Net assets are reported in the following categories/components:

Non-expendable restricted net assets are subject to externally imposed stipulations which require them to be maintained permanently by the City, including the City's Permanent Fund.

Expendable restricted net assets result when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net assets consist of net assets not meeting the definition of the preceding categories. Unrestricted net assets often have constraints on resources imposed by management which can be removed or modified.

The Statement of Activities and Net Assets demonstrates the degree to which the direct disbursements of a given function are offset by program receipts. Direct disbursements are those clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program receipts include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and 2) grants, contributions and interest on investments restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property tax and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general receipts.

Fund Financial Statements - Separate financial statements are provided for governmental and proprietary funds. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as non-major governmental funds.

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the City. All general tax receipts and other receipts not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating disbursements, the fixed charges and the capital improvement costs that are not paid from other funds.

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for all resources used in the acquisition and construction of capital facilities with the exception of those that are financed through enterprise funds.

The Debt Service Fund is utilized to account for the payment of interest and principal on the city's general long-term debt.

The Special Revenue, Local Option Sales Tax Fund is used to account for local option sales tax collections and expenditures as specified in the election to collect those taxes.

The Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes to Cash Balances presents the City's final balances as reserved and unreserved. Reserved cash basis fund balances include two items. All cash in the Debt Service fund is reserved for Debt Service and improvement. The Klindt Memorial is cash reserved by the Council to be spent as expressed by the Klindt family. There is no legal trust in place.

The City reports the following major proprietary funds:

The Water Fund accounts for the operation and maintenance of the City's water system.

The Sewer Fund accounts for the operation and maintenance of the City's waste water treatment and sanitary sewer system.

The Gas Fund accounts for the operation and maintenance of the City's gas system.

The Recycling Fund accounts for the operation and maintenance of the City's recycling program.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The City of Montezuma maintains its financial records on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial statements of the City are prepared on that basis. The cash basis of accounting does not give effect to accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued items. Accordingly, the financial statements do not present financial position and results of operations of the funds in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Under the terms of grant agreements, the City funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants, categorical block grants and general receipts. Thus, when program disbursements are paid, there are both restricted and unrestricted cash basis net assets available to finance the program. It is the city's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, followed by categorical block grants and then by general receipts.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating receipts and disbursements from non-operating items. Operating receipts and disbursements generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. All receipts and disbursements not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating receipts and disbursements.

D. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The budgetary comparison and related disclosures are reported as Required Supplementary Information. During the year ended June 30, 2010, disbursements exceeded the amounts budgeted in the capital projects and debt service functions.

(2) **Cash and Pooled Investments**

The City's deposits in banks at June 30, 2010 were entirely covered by federal depository insurance or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to insure there will be no loss of public funds.

The City is authorized by statute to invest public funds in obligations of the United States government, its agencies and instrumentalities; certificates of deposit or other evidences of deposit at federally insured depository institutions approved by the City Council; prime eligible bankers acceptances; certain high rated commercial paper; perfected repurchase agreements; certain registered open-end management investment companies; certain joint investment trusts; and warrants or improvement certificates of a drainage district.

Included in the June 30, 2010 general fund cash is \$29,629 in library donations and earnings and \$3,500 in library endowment donations, both held in trust by the Montezuma Community Foundation. The \$29,629 is available for use by the library whenever requested by the library board. The \$3,500 may not be spent; only earnings from those contributions will be available.

At June 30, 2010 the City had the following investments:

Type	Carrying Amount	Fair Value
Certificate of deposit	\$ 45,000	45,000
Certificate of deposit	20,000	20,000
Certificate of deposit	35,930	35,930
Certificate of deposit	23,691	23,691
Certificate of deposit	31,653	31,653
Total	<u>\$ 156,274</u>	<u>156,274</u>

In addition, the City had investments in the Iowa Public Agency Investment Trust which are valued at an amortized cost of \$546 pursuant to Rule 2a-7 under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

Credit Risk - The City's investment in the Iowa Public Agency Investment Trust is unrated.

(3) **Bonds and Notes Payable**

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for general obligation bonds, urban renewal tax increment financing revenue bonds and water revenue bonds are as follows:

Year ending June 30,	General Obligation Notes		Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Bonds		Revenue Bonds Water		Total	
	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
2011	\$ 155,000	50,576	41,000	3,485	-	-	196,000	54,061
2012	160,000	44,376	-	-	-	-	160,000	44,376
2013	170,000	37,976	-	-	36,936	-	206,936	37,976
2014	175,000	31,091	-	-	-	-	175,000	31,091
2015	185,000	23,916	-	-	-	-	185,000	23,916
2015-2017	390,000	24,685	-	-	-	-	390,000	24,685
Total	\$ 1,235,000	212,620	41,000	3,485	36,936	-	1,312,936	216,105

The City of Montezuma issued \$240,000 in general obligation bonds May of 2000 for the purpose of carrying out a sewer improvement project. The City of Montezuma issued \$1,615,000 in general obligation bond in September, 2007 for the purpose of carrying out a street improvement project. The total principal and interest payments remaining on the two general obligation bond issues are \$1,447,620, payable through 2017.

The City of Montezuma issued \$370,000 of the urban renewal tax increment financing revenue bonds in February, 1995 for the purpose of defraying a portion of the costs of carrying out an urban renewal project of the City. The bonds are payable solely from TIF receipts generated by increased property values in the City's TIF district and credited to the Special Revenue, Urban Renewal Tax Increment Fund in accordance with Chapter 403.19 of the Code of Iowa. TIF receipts are generally projected to produce 100 percent of the debt requirements over the life of the bonds. The proceeds of the urban renewal tax increment financing revenue bonds shall be expended only for the purposes which are consistent with the plans of the City's urban renewal area. The bonds are not a general obligation of the City, however the debt is subject to the constitutional debt limitation of the City. Total principal and interest remaining on the bonds is \$44,485, payable through 2011. For the current year, interest paid and total TIF receipts were \$6,715 and \$47,711, respectively.

The City of Montezuma entered into a Water Revenue Loan and Disbursement Agreement Anticipation Project Note issued on December 23, 2009 to the Iowa Finance Authority in an amount not to exceed \$427,000. The loan proceeds are deliverable in evidence of the City's obligation to repay amounts and shall bear interest at 0%. The project note principal is payable in three years. This project note, together with any additional obligations shall be payable only from the loan proceeds of a future issuance of Water Revenue Bonds.

Total interest charged to expense during the fiscal year was \$64,731. None was associated with product financing arrangements or capitalized enterprise fund assets.

(4) **Pension and Retirement Benefits**

The City of Montezuma contributes to the Iowa Public Employees Retirement System (IPERS) which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of Iowa. IPERS provides retirement and death benefits which are established by State statute to plan members and beneficiaries. IPERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The report may be obtained by writing to IPERS, P.O. Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa, 50306-9117.

Most regular plan members are required to contribute 4.30% of their annual covered salary and the City is required to contribute 6.65% of covered salary. Certain employees in special risk occupations and the City contribute an actuarially determined contribution rate. Contribution requirements are established by state statute. The City's contributions to IPERS for the years ended June 30, 2010, 2009 and 2008, were \$24,542, \$22,692, and \$21,173, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year.

(5) **Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)**

Plan Description – There are three medical/prescription drug plans which provide benefits for retirees and their spouses. Participants must be age 55 or older at retirement.

The medical/prescription drug benefits are provided through a fully-insured plan. Retirees under age 65 pay the same premium for the medical/prescription drug benefits as active employees.

There are seven active employees in the City's plan, three active employees in the Water department's plan and five active employees in the Electric Utility's plan. None of the plans have any early retirees.

Funding Policy - The contribution requirements of plan members are established and may be amended by the City. The City currently finances the retiree benefit plan on a pay-as-you-go basis. The most recent active member monthly premiums are as follows:

	Single	Family
City	\$ 626	1,565
Water Department	470	1,176
Electric Utility	377	944

The same monthly premiums apply to retirees, which they are required to pay in full. For the year ended June 30, 2010, the City contributed \$120,180 and plan members eligible for benefits contributed \$0 to the plan. The Water Department contributed \$42,319 and plan members eligible for benefits contributed \$0 to the plan. The Electric Utility contributed \$36,230 and plan members contributed \$0 to the plan.

(6) **Compensated Absences**

City employees accumulate a limited amount of earned but unused vacation hours for subsequent use or for payment upon termination, retirement or death. These accumulations are not recognized as disbursements by the City until used or paid. The City's approximate liability for earned vacation payable to employees at June 30, 2010 is \$15,946. This liability has been computed based on rates in effect at June 30, 2010.

(7) **Interfund Transfers**

The details of interfund transfers to the year ended June 30, 2010 are as follows:

Transfer to:	Transfer from:	Amount
Debt Service	Sewer - Enterprise Fund	\$ 64,585

Transfers generally move resources from the fund statutorily required to collect the resources to the fund statutorily required to disburse the resources.

(8) **Transactions Between the City and the Component Unit**

The following are significant transactions between the City of Montezuma and the Montezuma Light and Power Plant:

Transaction Description	From City to Municipal Utility	From Municipal Utility to City
Water Dept. Electric Use	\$ (24,433)	-
Water Dept. Billing/Meter Reading	(31,259)	-
Gas Dept. Electric Use	(10,175)	-
Gas Dept. Billing/Meter Reading	(23,375)	-
General City Electric Use	(54,978)	-
Computer Maintenance	(1,923)	-
Power Plants - Taxes in lieu	-	58,598
Totals	\$ (146,143)	58,598

The Municipal Utility's personnel do the meter reading and billing for the electric, water and gas departments. The City then reimburses the Municipal Utility for their share of those costs.

(9) Related Party Transactions

The City had business transactions between the City and City officials totaling \$2,140 during the year ended June 30, 2010.

(10) Risk Management

The City is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft; damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by the purchase of commercial insurance. The City assumes liability for any deductibles and claims in excess of coverage limitations. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

(11) Commitments and Contingencies

On December 6, 2006, the City of Montezuma Light & Power plant entered into a prorata investment in the Central Minnesota Municipal Power Agency's CAPX2020 Investment. The total commitment is for \$100,000. As of June 30, 2010, \$7,436 had been invested.

Required Supplementary Information

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Budgetary Comparison Schedule of Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Balances
Budgetary and Actual (Cash Basis) - All Governmental Funds and Proprietary Funds
Required Supplementary Information
Year ended June 30, 2010

	Budgeted Amounts					
	Governmental Funds Actual	Proprietary Funds Actual	Net	Original	Final	Final to Net Variance
Receipts:						
Property tax	\$ 556,514	-	556,514	540,898	540,898	15,616
Tax increment financing collections	47,711	-	47,711	44,715	44,715	2,996
Other city tax	130,600	-	130,600	120,672	120,672	9,928
Licenses and permits	2,485	-	2,485	1,875	1,875	610
Use of money and property	10,519	17,703	28,222	35,000	35,000	(6,778)
Intergovernmental	194,512	-	194,512	124,800	124,800	69,712
Charges for services	88,211	4,949,317	5,037,528	6,390,425	6,390,425	(1,352,897)
Private contributions	57,189	-	57,189	-	-	57,189
Miscellaneous	89,174	25,174	114,348	120,000	189,724	(75,376)
Total receipts	1,176,915	4,992,194	6,169,109	7,378,385	7,448,109	(1,279,000)
Disbursements:						
Public safety	183,285	-	183,285	210,625	210,625	27,340
Public works	224,066	-	224,066	295,494	295,494	71,428
Health & Social Services	-	-	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	186,233	-	186,233	134,390	204,114	17,881
Community & economic development	-	-	-	49,715	49,715	49,715
General government	114,141	-	114,141	147,810	147,810	33,669
Debt service	282,731	436,320	719,051	206,976	206,976	(512,075)
Capital projects	-	77,997	77,997	-	-	(77,997)
Business type activities	-	4,183,904	4,183,904	6,091,505	6,487,025	2,303,121
Total disbursements	990,456	4,698,221	5,688,677	7,136,515	7,601,759	1,913,082
Excess (deficiency) of receipts over (under) disbursements	186,459	293,973	480,432	241,870	(153,650)	634,082
Other financing sources, net	177,435	972,351	1,149,786	-	-	(1,149,786)
Excess (deficiency) of receipts and other financing sources over (under) disbursements	363,894	1,266,324	1,630,218	241,870	(153,650)	(515,704)
Balances beginning of year	2,069,999	3,204,843	5,274,842	4,357,717	4,357,717	917,125
Balances end of year	\$ 2,433,893	4,471,167	6,905,060	4,599,587	4,204,067	401,421

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Notes to Required Supplementary Information - Budgetary Reporting
June 30, 2010

This budgetary comparison is presented as Required Supplementary Information in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 41 for governments with significant budgetary perspective differences resulting from not being able to present budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund.

In accordance with the Code of Iowa, the City Council annually adopts a budget on the cash basis following required public notice and hearing for all funds, except Internal Service Funds and Fiduciary Funds. The annual budget may be amended during the year utilizing similar statutorily prescribed procedures.

Formal and legal budgetary control is based upon nine major classes of disbursements known as functions, not by fund. These nine functions are: public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, general government, debt service, capital projects and business type activities. Function disbursements required to be budgeted include disbursements for the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, the Debt Service Fund, the Capital Projects Funds, the Permanent Fund and Enterprise Funds. Although the budget document presents function disbursements by fund, the legal level of control is at the aggregated function level, not by fund. During the year, one budget amendment increased budgeted receipts by \$69,724 and budgeted disbursements by \$465,244. The budget amendments are reflected in the final budgeted amounts.

During the year ended June 30, 2010, disbursements exceeded the amounts budgeted in the capital projects and debt service functions.

Other Supplementary Information

Schedule 1

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balances
Non-Major Governmental Funds
As of and for the year ended June 30, 2010

	Special Revenue			
	Road Use Tax	Urban Renewal Tax Increment	Permanent Fund	Total
Receipts:				
Tax increment financing collections	-	47,711	-	47,711
Use of money and property	-	-	-	-
Intergovernmental	135,154	-	-	135,154
Total receipts	135,154	47,711	-	182,865
Disbursements:				
Operating:				
Public works	95,909	-	-	95,909
Debt service	-	44,715	-	44,715
Total disbursements	95,909	44,715	-	140,624
Excess (deficiency) of receipts over (under) disbursements	39,245	2,996	-	42,241
Other financing sources (uses):				
Operating transfers out	-	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	-	-	-	-
Net change in cash balances	39,245	2,996	-	42,241
Cash balances beginning of year	111,395	36,328	3,500	151,223
Cash balances end of year	\$ 150,640	39,324	3,500	193,464
Cash Basis Fund Balances				
Unreserved:				
Special revenue funds	\$ 150,640	39,324	-	189,964
Permanent endowment, library	-	-	3,500	3,500
Total cash basis fund balances	\$ 150,640	39,324	3,500	193,464

See notes to financial statements.

Schedule 2

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Schedule of Indebtedness
Year ended June 30, 2010

Obligation	Date of Issue	Interest Rates	Amount Originally Issued	Balance Beginning of Year	Issued During Year	Redeemed During Year	Balance End of Year	Interest & Fees Paid	Interest Due and Unpaid
General obligation bonds:									
Sewer	5/1/2000	5.0-5.6%	\$240,000	\$ 30,000		30,000	-	1,440	-
Street	9/1/2007	3.8-4.2%	1,615,000	1,385,000		150,000	1,235,000	56,576	4,215
				<u>\$ 1,415,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>180,000</u>	<u>1,235,000</u>	<u>58,016</u>	<u>4,215</u>
Urban renewal tax increment financing:									
(TIF) Revenue bonds	2/22/1995	8.00-8.50%	\$370,000	\$ 79,000	-	38,000	41,000	6,715	290
Water Revenue Loan									
SRF-Line of Credit	12/23/2009	0.00%	Max 427,000	\$ -	36,936	-	36,936	-	-

Schedule 3

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Bond and Note Maturities
Year ended June 30, 2010

Year Ending June 30,	General Obligation bonds		Urban Renewal Tax Increment Financing (TIF) Revenue Bonds		Water Revenue Bonds	
	Street					
	Issued 9-1-2007		Issued 2-22-1995		Issued 12-23-2009	
	Interest Rates	Amount	Interest Rates	Amount	Interest Rates	Amount
2011	4.00%	\$ 155,000	8.50%	41,000	0.00%	-
2012	4.00%	160,000		-	0.00%	-
2013	4.05%	170,000		-	0.00%	36,936
2014	4.10%	175,000		-		-
2015	4.13%	185,000		-		-
2016	4.15%	190,000		-		-
2017	4.20%	200,000		-		-
		<u>\$ 1,235,000</u>		<u>41,000</u>		<u>36,936</u>

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

Schedule 4

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Schedule of Changes in Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities
Agency Fund
June 30, 2010

		Balance			Balance End of
		Beginning of Year	Additions	Deductions	Year
Assets					
Cash		\$ 4,764	9,000	8,109	5,655
Liabilities					
Accounts payable		\$ 4,764	9,000	8,109	5,655

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

City of Montezuma, Iowa
Schedule of Receipts by Source and Disbursements by Function
All Governmental Funds
For the Last Nine Years

	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Receipts:									
Property tax	\$ 556,514	538,865	508,001	480,742	476,022	459,199	431,436	414,419	421,509
Tax increment financing collections	47,711	48,184	47,695	45,124	43,733	46,885	49,794	47,658	50,196
Other taxes	130,600	128,568	166,417	-	-	986	-	-	-
Licenses & permits	2,485	2,725	2,830	-	-	-	-	-	-
Use of money and property	10,519	28,516	82,230	75,417	41,662	29,397	19,891	17,747	11,849
Intergovernmental	194,512	245,238	353,343	121,433	122,541	122,047	136,597	159,142	161,796
Charges for service	88,211	97,647	81,596	82,222	89,033	74,911	88,461	83,344	44,109
Miscellaneous	146,363	180,486	153,127	97,860	103,531	481,620	77,702	55,858	39,129
Total	<u>\$ 1,176,915</u>	<u>1,270,229</u>	<u>1,395,239</u>	<u>902,798</u>	<u>876,522</u>	<u>1,215,045</u>	<u>803,881</u>	<u>778,168</u>	<u>728,588</u>
Disbursements:									
Operating:									
Public safety	\$ 183,285	286,586	325,039	164,930	260,458	159,325	178,665	150,188	138,109
Public works	224,066	270,817	259,360	241,578	193,131	201,900	262,332	225,916	209,845
Health and social services	-	-	-	2,750	-	2,500	6,730	-	-
Culture and recreation	186,233	117,837	114,126	108,146	126,386	399,413	121,897	80,391	95,573
Community & economic development	-	-	151,878	-	-	-	-	-	-
General government	114,141	106,235	109,311	104,242	103,364	100,203	102,222	95,043	81,861
Debt service	282,731	285,994	334,911	165,895	169,962	169,803	-	124,620	123,580
Capital projects	-	358,000	1,405,527	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	<u>\$ 990,456</u>	<u>1,425,469</u>	<u>2,700,152</u>	<u>787,541</u>	<u>853,301</u>	<u>1,033,144</u>	<u>671,846</u>	<u>676,158</u>	<u>648,968</u>

See accompanying independent auditor's report.



Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed In Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council
City of Montezuma
Montezuma, Iowa

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, the discretely presented component unit, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Montezuma as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents, and have issued our report thereon dated August 18, 2010. Our report expressed unqualified opinions on the financial statements which were prepared in conformity with an other comprehensive basis of accounting. We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the City of Montezuma's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of Montezuma's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of Montezuma's internal control over financial reporting.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and, therefore, there can be no assurance all deficiencies, significant deficiencies or material weaknesses have been identified. However, as described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting we consider to be material weaknesses.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility a material misstatement of City of Montezuma Cash City's financial statements will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings as item (A) to be a material weakness.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City of Montezuma's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*. However, we noted certain immaterial instances of non-compliance or other matters that are described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the City's operations for the year ended June 30, 2010 are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during our audit of the financial statements of the City. Since our audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

This report, a public record by law, is intended solely for the information and use of the officials, employees and citizens of the City of Montezuma and other parties to whom the City may report, including federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

We would like to acknowledge the many courtesies and assistance extended to us by personnel of the City of Montezuma during the course of our audit. Should you have any questions concerning any of the above matters, we shall be pleased to discuss them with you at your convenience.

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Certified Public Accountants

August 18, 2010

Findings Related to the Financial Statements:

INTERNAL CONTROL DEFICIENCIES:

- (A) Segregation of Duties - One important aspect of internal control is the segregation of duties among employees to prevent an individual employee from handling duties which are incompatible. The cash receipts listing, bank deposits and the posting of the cash receipts to the cash receipts journal are all done by the same person.

Recommendation - We realize segregation of duties is difficult with a limited number of office employees. However, the City should review its control procedures to obtain the maximum internal control possible under the circumstances. The City should segregate duties to the extent possible with existing personnel and utilize administrative personnel to provide additional control through review of financial transactions and reports.

Response - We will consider this.

Conclusion - Response acknowledged.

INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were noted.

Other Findings Related to Statutory Reporting:

- (1) Certified Budget - Disbursements during the year ended June 30, 2010 exceeded the budget in the capital projects and debt service functions. Chapter 384.20 of the Code of Iowa states, in part, Public monies may not be expended or encumbered under an annual or continuing appropriation.

Recommendation - The budget should have been amended in accordance with Chapter 384.18 of the Code of Iowa before disbursements were allowed to exceed the budget.

Response - The budget will be amended in the future, if applicable.

Conclusion - Response accepted.

- (2) Questionable Disbursements - No disbursements were noted that we believe may not meet the requirements of public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979.

- (3) Travel Expense - No disbursements of City of Montezuma money for travel expenses of spouses of City officials or employees were noted.

- (4) Business Transactions

Business transactions between the City and City officials or employees for the year ended June 30, 2010 are detailed as follows:

<u>Name, Title and Business Connection</u>	<u>Transaction Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Jim Hicks, Mayor, Owner Jim's Heating and Air Conditioning	Heating System & Repairs	\$685
Doug Ver Meer, Light Plant Board Member, Owner, Vannoy Chevrolet	Truck repairs	\$1,455

In accordance with Chapter 362.5(10) of the Code of Iowa, the transactions do not appear to represent conflicts of interest since total transactions with the individuals were less than \$1,500 during the fiscal year.

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- (5) Bond Coverage - Surety bond coverage of City officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to ensure that coverage is adequate for current operations.
- (6) Council Minutes - No transactions were found that we believe should have been approved in the Council minutes but were not.
- (7) Deposits and Investments - No instances of noncompliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapter 12B and 12C of the Code of Iowa and the City's investment policy were noted.
- (8) Revenue Bonds and Notes - The City of Montezuma has established proper accounts as required by the City revenue note resolution.